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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
MARSHALL DIVISION

HEADWATER RESEARCH LLC,

**HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL -
ATTORNEYS' EYES ONLY**

Plaintiff,

§ CIVIL ACTION NOS.

v.

T-MOBILE US, INC. AND SPRINT CORP,

§ 2:23-cv-00379-JRG-RSP
§ 2:23-cv-00377-JRG-RSP

Defendants.

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**EXPERT REPORT OF KEVIN JEFFAY, Ph.D. REGARDING INVALIDITY OF
U.S. PATENT NOS. 8,589,541 and 9,215,613**

Dated: January 29, 2025

Respectfully submitted,



The image shows a handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jeffay". Below the signature, the name "Kevin Jeffay, Ph.D." is printed in a smaller, standard font.

Kevin Jeffay, Ph.D.

D. Priority Date

119. I understand that Headwater contends the Asserted Patents are entitled to a priority date of May 25, 2010. *See 2024-11-20 Headwater 3rd Supp Objs-Resps to T-Mobile 2nd Set ROGs* ("Headwater presently contends that the '613 and '541 Patents are entitled to a priority date no later than May 25, 2010."). Thus, for purposes of performing my analysis in this Report, I have used Headwater's offered date of May 25, 2010. I reserve the right to revise my opinions should Headwater later attempt to rely on an earlier priority date.

E. Asserted Claims

120. I understand that Headwater accuses the Defendants of infringing Claims 79 and 83, which depend from Claim 1.³⁹ These Claims are listed below.

Claim 1: A non-transitory computer-readable storage medium storing machine-executable instructions that, when executed by one or more processors of a wireless end-user device, cause the one or more processors to:

Element 1[a]: identify a service usage activity of the wireless end-user device, the service usage activity being associated with a first software component of a plurality of software components on the wireless end-user device, the service usage activity comprising one or more prospective or successful communications over a wireless network;

Element 1[b] determine whether the service usage activity comprises a background activity;

Element 1[c]: determine at least an aspect of a policy based on a user input obtained through a user interface of the wireless end-user device or based on information from a network element, the policy to be applied if the service usage activity is the background activity, the policy at least for controlling the service usage activity; and

Element 1[d]: if it is determined that the service usage activity is the background activity, apply the policy.

Claim 79: The non-transitory computer-readable storage medium recited in claim 1, wherein apply the policy comprises at least assist in intercepting a stack application programming interface (API) level or application messaging layer request.

³⁹ Claim 1 of the '541 Patent was disclaimed by Headwater.